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24 Black and White Warbler departed
24 Black-throated Green Warbler departed
25 Magnolia Warblre departed
25 Chestnut-sided Warbler departed
25 Canadian Warbler departed
27 Yellow-breasted Chat
27 Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
28 Hummingbird
28 Carolina Wren
29 Water Thrush departed
29 Black-poll Warbler departed
29 Redstart departed
30 Blue-headed Vireo departed
30 Least Flycatcher departed
30 Hermit Thrush departed
30 Maryland Yellowthroat

JUNE.

1 Purple Martin
7 Bobwhite
18 Yellow-throated Vireo

Total number of migrants seen, 92.

# NOTES ON OUR LOCAL PLANTS.—VI.

BY J. A. NIEUWLAND.

## ORDER 24. CARYOPHYLLINEAE.

**Bartling, Ord. Nat. p. 295 (1830) Bart. and Wend., II., p. 137 (1824-5.)**

*Centrospermae* Engler in Engler and Prantl, Pflanzanfam. Nachtr. p. 346 (1897), Engler, Fuhrer Bot. Gart. Breslau, p. 36 (1836), *Chenopodiales* Britton, Manual, p. 367 (1901). *Caryophylleae* Lond. Hort. Britt. Cat. p. 501 (1830) (?).

### Family 53. **SALSOLACEAE** Linnaeus, Classes Plantar. (1738).

*Holeraceae* Linnaeus, Phil. Bot. p. 33 (1751), also (1755). *Oleraceae* Zinn, Cat. Hort Gott., p. 25 (1757) in part. *Chenopodeae* Vent. Tabl. II, p. 253 1799), *Salsolaceae* Moq. in DC. Prod. XIII, 2, p. 41 (1849), *Chenopodiaceae* Less. in Linnaea IX, p. 196 (1834), *Cheiropodiaceae* Daubeny, Lect. Rom. Husbandry, p. 314 (1857).

*BOTRYS* Dioscorides III; 130, Pliny Nat. Hist. XXVII:8, 31, also Bauhin, Pinax, p. 138 (1623), *Chenopodium* Tabernaemontanus ex C. Bauhin Pinax, p. 119 (1623) *Chenopodium* Tour., Els. p. 406 (1694) I. R. H. p. 506 (1700), *Blitum* and *Atriplex* sps. of the older authors, *Chenopodium* Linnaeus Syst. (1735), Gen. p. 67 (1737), p. 103 (1754), *Vulvaria* Bubani Fl. Pyr. I, 174 (1897), *Vulvaria* Dalchamps, Hist. p. 543 (1587), *Botrydium* Spach, Hist. l. c. p. 295, and *Chenopodium* Spach l. c. p. 300. Not *Botrydium* Wallroth (1815).

**Botrys aromatica** (Spach).

*Botrydium aromaticum* Spach, l. c. *Chenopodium Botrys* Linn. Sp. Pl., p. 219 (1753), *Vulvaria Botrys* (Linn.) Bubani l. c. p. 177.

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Lake Co. (Hill), Clarke, Ind. (Umbach), Nos. 11332, Notre Dame, Ind., 11336, Sagunay, Laporte Co.

**Botrys ambrosioides** (C. Bauhin).

*Chenopodium ambrosioides* (C. Bauhin) Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 214.

*Botrys ambrosioides mexiocana* C. Bauhin, Pinax, p. 138, (1623), *Ambrina ambrosioides*, Spach, Hist. Nat. Veg., V. p. 297 (1836). *Vulvaria ambrosioides* Bubani, l. c. p. 178.

**Botrys anthelmintica** (Linn.).

*Chenopodium anthelminticum* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 220 (1753), *Chenopodium ambrosioides* var. *anthelminticum* A. Gray, Man. Ed. 5, p. 408 (1867), *Ambrina anthelmintica* Spach, l. c. p. 298.

Millers, Ind.

**Botrys glauca** (Linn.)

*Chenopodium glaucum* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 220 (1753), *Blitum glaucum* Koch, Syn. Fl. Germ., p. 608 (1837).

Millers (Umbach).

**Botrys hybrida** (Linn.).

*Chenopodium hybridum* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 219 (1753).

Lake Maxinkuckee, (H. W. Clarke), Lake Co. (Deam), Nos. 11713, 10335, 10418 Notre Dame, Ind.

**Botry leptophylla** (Moq.).

*Chenopodium leptophyllum* (Moq.) Nutt., in DC. Prod. XIII, 2, p. 71 (1849), *Chenopqdium album* var. *leptophyllum* Moq. l. d.

Nos. 9706 Dune Park, Ind., 10237 Mineral Springs, Porter Co. I have found the plant as far east as Hudson Lake, Laporte Co. It is spreading wherever there is sandy soil not far from Lake Michigan. Its presence at Hudson Lake is accounted for doubtless because of the sandy soil of this rather large inlake.

**Botrys bosciana** (Moq.)

*Chenopodium boscianum* Moq., Enum. Chen. p. 21 (1840).

No. 11528 Notre Dame, Ind.

**Botrys alba** (Linn.).

*Chenopodium album* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 219 (1753).

Lake Co. (Deam), Laporte Co. (Deam), Nos. 1986 Notre Dame, Ind. (Powers), 10419 Notre Dame, Ind., 11351 Hudson Lake.

**Botrys Berlandieri** (Moq.)

*Chenopodium Berlandieri* Moq. l. c. p. 23.

No. 11350 Hudson Lake, Ind. The leaves of this specimen are nearly all decussate.

*BLITUM* Hippocrates, Affect., 526, Theophrastus, Hist. Pl., 1:9, Dioscorides, II:143, Pliny, XX:93,[1] Galen, II:1, etc.

*Blitum* Tragus, Camerarius, Dodonaeus, Matthioli, Lobelius, Caesalpinus, Gerarde, Anguillara, Tabernaemontanus, Brunfels, erc. *Blitum* Tour., Els., P. 407 (1694), I. R. H., p. 507 (1700), *Polysporon* Linnaeus, Syst. (1735), Gen., p. 6 (1754), Gen., p. 20 (1737), *Chenopodio-Morus* Boerhaave, Ind. Alt. Pl. p. 91 (1727), *Morocarpus* Ruppius, Fl. Jen., p. 271 (1727), *Polysporon* Lobelius Hist., p. 128 also Anguillara.

**Blitum capitatum** Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 4, (1753).

*Chenopodium capitatum* Aschers., Fl. Brand., p. 572 (1864), *Morocarpus major* Ruppius, l. c.

Nos. 11248, 11253 Notre Dame, Ind.

*ATRIPLEX* Hippocrates, Theophrastus, VII:1, Pliny XX:20, Columella III:11, X:377, Dioscorides II:145.

*Atriplex* Tragus, Dodonaeus, Lobelius, Caesalpinus, Fuchs, Castor Durante, Anguillara, Matthioli, Ruellius, Marcellus Vergilius, Gesner, V. Cordus, Lonicer, Camerarius, Thalius, etc., *Atriplex* Tour., Els., p. 405 (1694), I. R. H., p. 505 (1700), Linn., Syst., (1735), Gen., p. 317 (1737), Gen., p. 472 (1754).

**Atriplex hastata** Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 1053 (1753).

*Atriplex patula* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 1053, l. c. *Atriplex littoralis* Linn., l. c. p. 1054, *Atriplex patulum* var. *hastatum* A. Gray, Man., Ed. 5, p. 405 (1867).

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Clarke, Ind. (Umbach), Hudson Lake, Laporte Co.

*CYCLOLOMA* Moq., Enum. Chen., p. 17 (1840).

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[1] Daubeny thinks that the Bliton of Dioscorides is *Amaranthus Blitum* Lect., p. 315, Fée, Panckouck, Bubani to the contrary.

**Cycloloma atriplicifolia** (Sprengel) Coulter, Mem. Torr. Cl. V, p. 143 (1894).

*Kochia atriplicifolia* Sprengel, Nachtr. Fl. Hal. 2, p. 35 (1801) Cycloloma platyphyllum Moq., l. c.

Lake Co. (Deam), Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Laporte Co. (Deam), Dune Park (Umbach), Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Laporte Co. (Deam), Dune Park (Umbach), Nos. 9184 Millers, also 9183 from the same place with perfectly green flowers, 9696 Dune Park. I have found it in Laporte, Porter and Berrien Cos.

*CORISPERMUM* Jussieu, Act., p. 244 (1712).

*Corispermum* Linn., Syst. (1735), Gen., p. 1 (1737), Dillenius Gen., p. 160 (1719), *Corispermum* Linn., Gen. p. 5 (1754), *Rhagrostis* Buxbaum, Cent., III, p. 30 (1729).

**Corispermum hyssopifolium** Jussieu, l. c. also Linnaeus and Dillenius. l. c.

Lake Co. (Deam) (Hill), Porter Co. (Cowles), Millers (Umbach), South Haven (L. H. Bailey), Nos. 9540, 1925b, Millers. Found also in Berrien, Laporte, Lake and Porter Cos.

**Corispermum hyssopifolium** var. **nitidum** Kit., I have found at Millers, Ind., (No. 1925 U. N. D. Herb.)

*SALSOLA* Caesalpinus [Herb. Tornab., 205:571 (1563)] De Plantis, p. 170 (1583).

*Kali* C. Bauhin, Pinax, p. 289 (1623), also Dodonaeus, Lobelius, Dalechamps, Camerarius, Matthioli, etc. Perhaps an older name than *Salsola* both of barbarous origin and form, being the name of a chemical and therefore objectional. *Anthylloides* Thalius Sylv. Herc., p. 16 (1588), *Alcali* Gesner Hort. Germ. (1561), [?(Tragus Dioscorides IV:51, Pliny XXI:13, 116)? See Bubani Fl. Pyr. I, p. 162-164.] *Kali* Tour. Els. p. 213 (1694), I. R. H. p. 237 (1700), *Salsola* Linn, Syst. (1735), Gen. p. 67 (1737), p. 104 (1754)

**Salsola pestifer** A. Nelson, Rocky Mt. Bot., P. 169, (1909).

Lake Co. (Deam), Whiting, Ind., (Moffatt), Laporte Co. (Deam). I have found it in Berrien, Laporte, Lake and St. Joseph Cos. On sandy fields west of South Bend it is very abundant and a great niusance to farmers. I have seen large plants over a foot in diameter after being uprooted blown about the streets of the city by the prevailing west winds of this region. This occurs almost annually of late years especially in winter and early spring when the plants are most easily loosened from the soil. The seed is thus scattered broadcast.

### Family 54. **AMARANTHOIDEAE** Vent., Tabl. II, p. 264, (1799).

*Amarantaceae*, Jussieu, Ann. Mus. Paris, II, p. 131 (1803).

*GALLIARIA* Bubani, Fl. Pyr., I, p. 184 (1897).

*Amaranthus* Linn, Syst., (1735), Gen., p. 286 (1737), p. 427 (1754), *Amaranthus* Tour., Els., p. 201 (1694), I. R. H., p. 234 (1700), not *Amarantus* Pliny XXI:8, 23, and of the ancients which is *Celosia* Linn.

**Galliaria retroflexa** (Linn.)

*Amaranthus retroflexus* Linn. Sp. Pl., p. 991 (1753), *Galliaria scabra* Bubani l. c. p. 187.

Millers (Umbach), Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), No. 11709 Studebaker's Woods S. of South Bend, Ind. Found in all of the counties within the region.

**Galliaria spinosa** (Linn.)

*Amaranthus spinosus* Linn. l. c.

Millers (Umbach), found also at South Bend, Ind.

**Galliaria hybrida** (Linn.).

*Amaranthus hydbidus* Linn. l. c. p. 990.

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Millers (Umbach). Found also in Laporte, Berrien, and St. Joseph Cos.

**Galliaria blitoides** (S. Watson).

*Amaranthus blitoides* S. Watson, Proc. Am. Acad. XII, p. 273 (1877).

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), South Haven, Van Buren Co. (L. H. Bailey), found also in Berrien, Porter, Laporte, St. Joseph Cos.

**Galliaria graecizans** (Linn.).

*Amaranthus graecizans* Linn., l. c. p. 990. *Amaranthus albus* Linn. Sp. Pl., p. 1404 (1763), *Galliaria albida* Bubani l. c. p. 185.

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Lake Co. (Deam), Nos. 10423, Hudson Lake, 11496, 11710, S. of South Bend.

*AMARANTHUS* Pliny XXI:8.

*Amaranthus* Dodonaeus Hist. Pl. p. 125 (1557), Ed. C. Clusius also Castor Durante, Caesalpinus, Gesner, Lobelius, Tabernaemontanus, etc. Not *Amaranthus* Linnaeus, *Celosia* Linnaeus, Gen. p. 34 (1737), p. 96 (1754), *Psittacus* Heister.

**Amaranthus purpureus** Dodonaeus, l. c. (1557).

*Amaranthus cristatus* Camerarius Epit. 792, also Noronha (1790). *Celosia cristata* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 205 (1753).

I have seen it as an escape from gardens in the west end of South Bend where it is extensively cultivated by foreigners.

*ACNIDA* Mitchell, ex Linn., Act. Ups., "1741" (1746) Mitchell, Act. Ac. Leop. Carol., VIII and App. "1741" (1748). p. 28 also (1769) *Acnida* Linn., Gen., p. 453 (1754), Linn., Am. Acad. III, p. 18 (1756). For a discussion of the priority see Kuntze, O., Rev. Gen. I, p. 519 (1891).

**Acnida tamariscina** (Nutt.) Wood, Bot. and Flor., p. 289, (1873). *Amaranthus tamarascina* Nutt., Trans. Am. Phil? Soc. II, 5, 165 (1833-37) Clarke, Ind. (Umbach), Lake Co. (Deam).

**Acnida tuberculata** Moq., DC., Prod., XIII, 2, p. 278, (1849). Nos. 673, 11484, Notre Dame, Ind.

## Family 55. PHYTOLACCEAE R. Brown, Tuskey, Congo, p. 453 (1818), also Bartling Ord. Nat., p. 299 (1830).

*Phytolaccaceae* Lindley, Nat. Syst., Ed. 2, p. 210 (1836).

*PHYTOLACCA* Tour., Els., p. 248 (1694), I. R. H., p. 299 (1700).

*Phytolacca* Dillenius, Hort. Elth., p. 218 (1732), Linn., Syst., (1735), Gen., p. 136 (1737), Hort. Cliff., p. 177 (1737), Gen., p. 200 (1754).

**Phytolacca americana** Tour., Els., l. c. (1694).

*Phytolacca vulgaris* Dillen., l. c. *Phytolacca decandra* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 63 (1753), *Phytolacca americana* Linn., Sp. Pl., l. c. p. 441.

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke) (Deam), Laporte Co. (Deam), I have found the plant in all the counties.

## Family 56. CORRIGIOLACEAE Reichenb., Moessl. Hand., I. l. p. 51, (1827).

*Paronychieae* Bartling, Ord. Nat., p. 300 (1830), also Lond. Hort. Brit. p. 517 (1830), *Paronychiaceae* Daubeny, Lect. Rom. Husbandry, p. 308 (1857).

*ANYCHIA* Michx., Fl. Bor. Am., I, p. 112 (1803).

**Anychia canadensis** (Linn.) B. S. P., Prel. Cat. N. Y., (1888).

*Guerezia canadensis* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 90 (1753), *Queria canadensis* Britton, III. Fl. N. Am., II, p. 40 (1897), *Queria capillacea*

Nutt., Gen., I. p. 159 (1818), *Anychia capillacea* DC., Prod., III, p. 369 (1828), *Anychia dichotoma* Mich., l. c., p. 113.

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), No. Notre Dame, Ind., 11493, 11257, S. of South Bend, Ind.

*SCLERANTHUS* Linn., Syst., (1735) [Nomen Tantum] Gen., p. 131 (1737), Hort. Cliff., p. 166 (1737).

*Knawel* Dodonaeus, Dillenius, Boerhaave, Ray, Ruppius, (Nomen barbarum) *Scleranthus* Linn., Gen., p. 190 (1754). *Knavelia* Heister, Syst., p. 11, (1748) *Knautia* Fabricius, Heist., Fl. Helm., p. 358 (1759)? *Knavel* Adans., Fam., II., p. 506 (1763).

**Scleranthus annuus** Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 406 (1753).

*Knavel annuum* Scopoli, Fl. Carn. Ed., II, l. p. 298 (1772).

Nos. 9315 SW. of South Bend, Ind., near Lost Lake, 11735 Warwick State boundary, 9116, 9103, 2007, 6063, N. of Notre Dame, Ind., at Webster's station. Has become a weed at the last place.

Family 56. **NYCTAGINEAE** Vent., Tabl. II, p. 271 (1799).

*Nyctaginaceae* Lindley, Nat. Syst., Ed. 2, p. 213 (1836).

*ALLIONIA* Loefling, Linn., Syst. Ed., 10 (1759).

*Oxybaphus* L'Her., Willd., Sp. Pl., I, p. 185 (1797).

**Alliona nyctaginea** Michx., Fl. Bor. Am., I, p. 100 (1803).

*Oxybaphus nyctagineus* Sweet, Hort. Brit., p. 429 (1830).

No. 9350 N. of Notre Dame, Ind., on the M. C. R. R. Very common along railroads especially the Lake Shore R. R. west of South Bend.

*ADMIRABILIS* Clusius, Pannon., p. 395 (1583).

*Jalap* Tour., Els. p. 105 (1694), *Jalapa* Tour., I. R. R., p. 129 (1700), *Mirabilis* (Riv.) Linn., Syst., (1735), Gen., p. 49 (1737), p. 82 (1754), *Nyctage* Royen, Lugd., p. 417 (1740).

**Admirabilis peruana** Clusius l. c. also Hist. Rar. Pl. (1601).

*Mirabilia peruviana* Gerard, Herb., (1597). *Mirabilis peruviana* Ray, Hist., p. 398 (1668) *Mirabile peruvianum* Morison, Hist, III, p. 598. *Miribilis Jalapa* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 177 (1753).

Plants were found near old dump piles south of the city of South Bend. That it may escape seems possible from the fact that the plant sows itself readily and regularly at Notre Dame in gardens where it was watched for the last five years.

## Family 57. **AIZOACEAE** Br., Aschers., Fl. Brand., p. 60, (1864).

*MOLLUGO* Linn., Gen., p. 336 (1737), Hort. Cliff., p. 28 (1737), p. 39 (1754).

**Mollugo verticillata** Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 89, (1753).

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Clarke, Ind., (Umbach), Lake Co. (Hill), Laporte Co., (Deam), No. 1975 Notre Dame, Ind., (Powers). I have found it in every county in the region.

## Family 58. **PORTULACEAE** Jussieu, Gen., p. 312 (1789)

*Portulaccaceae* Reichenb., Consp., p. 161 (1828).

*TALINUM* Adans., Fam. Pl. II, p. 245 (1763).

**Talinum teretifolium** Pursh, Fl. Am. Sept., p. 365, (1818).

Millers, Tolleston, Pine, Gibsons, Lake Co. (Higdon and Raddin). Lake Co. (Hill).

*CLAYTONIA* Gronovius, Linn., Gen. Pl., p. 339 (1737).

*Claytonia* Gronovius, Fl. Virg. p. (1739), Linn., Gen., p. 97 (1754).

**Claytonia virginica** Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 204 (1753).

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Mineral Springs (Deam), Laporte Co. (Deam) Nos. 2016 Notre Dame (Powers), 3411, 2492, Notre Dame, 402 Websters. I have found it in all the counties.

*PORTULACCA* Plin', XX:20.

*Andrachne* Theophrastus, Caus. Pl., I:10, 4, Hist., I:8, 15, 4, Dioscorides II:150, *Portulacca* Brunfels, Gerarde, Matthioli, Lobelius, Castor Durante, Tabernaemontanus, Turner, Cordus, Lonicer, Anguillara, Camerarius, Dodonaeus, Gesner, Marcellus Vergilius, Caesalpinus, Tragus, Fuchs, etc., *Portulacca* Tour., Els., p. 203 (1694), I. R. H., p. 236 (1700), Linn., Syst., (1735), Gen., p. 122 (1737), p. 204 (1754).

**Portulacca sylvestris** Fuchs Hist. Stirp., p. 113 (1542), p. 42, (1546), p. 63 (1549) also *Portulacca sylvestris* Tragus, Matthioli, Anguillara, Dodonaeus, Camerarius, etc., *Portulacca oleracea* var. B. Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 445 (1753), *Portulacca arvensis* Tabernaemon-Anguillara, Dodonaeus, Camerarius, etc., *Portulacca oleracea* var. $\beta$ Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 445 (1753), *Portulacca arvensis* Tabernaemontanus *Portulacca minor* Gesner, also Camerarius, Hort. Med. p. 131 (1588).

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke). I have found the plant in all the counties of the region.

**Portulacca grandiflora** Hooker, Bot. Mag., Pl. 2885, (1829). I have found it as an escape from gardens at Notre Dame, Ind.

Family 59. **ALSINEAE** Bartling, Ord. Nat. p. 304 (1830).

*Alsinoideae* A. Br., Aschers., Fl. Brand., I, p. 60 (1864). *Alsineaceae* Bubani, Fl. Pyr., III, p. 22 (1901).

*ALSINE* Dioscorides, IV:75, Pliny, XXV:11.

*Alsine* Matthioli, Anguillara, Lacuna, Lonicer, Lobellius, Castor Durante, Fuchs, Dodonaeus, Tabernaemontanus, Gerarde, Thalius, Camerarius, Gesner, etc., etc., *Alsine* Tour., Els., p. 208, 1694, I. R. H., p. 242 (1700) *Alsine* Linn., Syst., (1735), Gen., p. 133 (1337), [*Alsine* and *Stellaria* Gen., p. 132 and 193 (1754)].

**Alsine media** Fuchs Hist. Stirp., p. 10b (1546).

*Alsine media* Dodonaeus, Hist. Pl., Ed. C. Clusius, p. 40 (1557), Camerarius Hort. Med. p. 11 (1588), C. Bauhin Pinax, p. 250 (1623), Tour., Els., p. 205 (1694), I. R. H., p. 242 (1700), *Alsine minor* Dodonaeus Pempt., p. 29 (1583), also Thalius, Sylv. Herc., p. 11 (1588), *Hippia minor* Dodonaeus Tr. Pr. Stirp. Hist., p. 150 (1553).

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke) 2057 Notre Dame (Powers). The plant is found throughout the whole region. It blooms the whole year round, a few sunny days in the middle of winter being sufficient to bring out the flowers.

**Alsine graminea** Linn., and Hesselgren, Pan Suecus in Am. Acad. I, p. 248 (1751).

*Stellaria graminea* Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 412 (1753), *Alsinc graminea* Britton, Mem. Torr. Cl. V, p. 150 (1894).

Lake Co. (Deam), Michigan City, Laporte Co., C. D. Mell.

**Alsine longifolia** (Muhl.) Britton, Mem. Torr. Cl., V, p. 150 (1894).

*Stellaria longifolia* Muhl., Willd., Enum. Hort. Berol. pp. 479 (1809).

Clarke, Ind., (Umbach. Nos. 36, 896 3433, Notre Dame, Ind. The latter found by Powers, 578 Terre Coupée (St. Joseph Co.), 11073 Benton Harbor, (Berrien Co.).

**Alsine longipes** (Goldie) Coville, Cotn. Nat. Nerb. IV, p. 70 (1894).

*Stellaria longipes* Goldie, Edinb. Phil. Jr. VI, p. 327 (1822).

St. Joseph Co. (Rothert), No. 2058, Notre Dame, (Powers).

*CERASTIUM* Dillenius, Cat. Pl. Giss., p. 41, etc. (1718).

*Cerastium* Linn., (1735), Gen., p. 134 (1737), p. 199 (1754), Hort Cliff., p. 147 (1737), *Myosotis* Tour., Els., p. 210 (1694), I. R. H., p. 244 (1700), not *Myosotis* of the ancients.

**Cerastium viscosum** Linn., and Hesselgren, Pan Suecus, Am. Acad., II, p. 248 (1752), also Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 437 (1753).

Benton Harbor, Mich.

**Cerastium vulgatum** Linn., Sp. Pl., p. 627 (1762).

Lake Maxinkuckee (H. W. Clarke), Laporte Co. (Deam).

(To be continued.)

# SOME COMMON BIRDS.

BY VICTOR CARPENTER.

### Red-Winged Blackbird.

*Agelaius phoeniceus*

Blackbird Family.

Syn. Swamp blackbird.

Length. 9.50 inches.

Color. Male, velvet black, greenish tint; shoulders of crimson. Female, brownish above; beneath white streaked with dirty brown.

Song. Varied and hard to describe; common note, "con-curr-ee"; mingling of gutteral creaking utterances.

Nest. Generally in low bushes; well made from reeds and lined with grasses and sedges.

Eggs. Light blue blotched or scrawled with black or dark purple; very varying.

Habitat. U. S. from coast to coast.

Specific habitat. Marshes and low ground.

Migration. March 15 to last of October.

### Brown Thrasher.

*Harporhyncus rufus*

Thrasher Family.

Syn. Brown thrush.

Length. 11.40 inches.

Color. Upper parts reddish brown; under parts white and spotted with brown; eyes yellow.

Song. Clear and well defined; can be heard over a third of a mile; very beautiful.